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Title: AUTOMATED IMAGING WITH PHOSPHORESCENT IMAGING TARGETS

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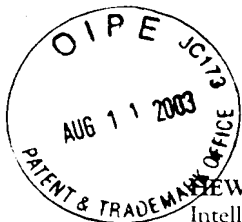
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**AMENDMENT**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 9, 2003 (Paper No. 4), please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listings of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.